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Menino goes from hospital to rehab, has diabetes

Mayor Thomas Menino, who is nearing the end of his unprecedented fifth term as mayor, was released from a hospital yesterday and transferred to a rehabilitation facility.

Menino, 69, spent more than four weeks at Brigham and Women's Hospital for various health issues. He was transferred to Spaulding Rehabilitation Hospital, Dr. Charles Morris told reporters yesterday.

Menino, who has had various medical issues over his tenure as mayor, has another to add to the list. Morris said that during Menino's stay at the Brigham, doctors diagnosed him with type 2 diabetes.

Menino will spend an untold amount of time at the rehab facility to work on issues related to his back and diabetes.

He was admitted to the hospital Oct. 26 for a virus after cutting short a vacation in Italy. Doctors then discovered a blood clot in his lung. While at the hospital Menino complained of back pain and doctors said he had suffered a compression fracture in his vertebrae. That injury led to doctors also discovering an infection in his back that Morris said was causing Menino more pain.

Dot Joyce, Menino's spokeswoman, said that Menino's spirits are high and that he's "absolutely able to continue his business with the city."

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By the numbers

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Lottery officials said the multistate Powerball jackpot had climbed to $425 million yesterday. Tickets cost $2 each and the odds of winning are 1 in 175,223,510, according to Powerball's website. The jackpot is worth $278.3 million in a lump sum payment before taxes. The drawing will happen Wednesday.

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Today's local tweet

"I just missed the trolley at Reservoir, and another was right behind it.. And another behind THAT! What the hell is going on? #MBTA #ILikeIt"

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In the news

House, Senate workers given salary raises

MASSACHUSETTS. Hundreds of people who work for the House and Senate President Therese Murray were given raises last week.

The 460 House employees and a smaller number of people who work directly for Murray were given a 3 percent raise, according to the Globe.

House Speaker Robert DeLeo can grant the House employee raises on his own, and an official in his office said it was the first raise in four years for those workers.

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Attacker sprays, punches woman

CHARLESTOWN. A woman walking home in Charlestown was pepper sprayed and punched by a man who robbed her.

The 28-year-old woman told police she was walking home along Austin Street from the Bunker Hill Community College MBTA station at about 10:20 p.m. Saturday when a man sprayed her in the eyes, punched her three or four times and knocked her to the ground.

The man took the woman's purse and fled in a minivan.

Emergency crews treated the woman at the scene.

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These aren't your parents' librarians

- Calendar shows off youth, teen librarians with tats
- Effort aims to raise funds for library organization

In some libraries, the ink isn't confined to the books or periodicals.

A new calendar put out by the Massachusetts Library Association features more than a dozen tattooed librarians posing to raise money and hoping to change a few stereotypes.

Sharon Colvin, chair of the Youth Services Section of the MLA, came up with the idea for the calendar as a way to raise money for the organization that supports librarians and libraries across the state.

"It's getting people talking about libraries again," she said. "Libraries have suffered a lot in the recession, and towns are really struggling to keep them open.

In addition to the fundraising, there are side effects to putting out a calendar that negates the stereotype of an older, uptight, constantly shushing librarian.

"We, as a group, are interested in improving our public image," said Colvin, who is the teen librarian at the Chelmsford Public Library and who appears in the calendar in October. "We're a diverse and dynamic group of individuals and not at all the stereotyped image people have of librarians."

COURTESY IN YOUR FACE PHOTOGRAPHY

▶ Sharon Colvin is October in the new tattooed librarians calendar.

The move was a way to get people talking, Colvin said, and it certainly has. The calendar has been featured in local newspapers, on radio news programs and Colvin said she's been interviewed by The Wall Street Journal.

And Colvin is already seeing how the hype is leading to people checking out more than just the calendar.

"People have been coming in looking for the calendar and they say 'Wow, I've never been here before,'" she said of people visiting her library.

While the response has been mostly positive, Colvin said there has been some negative feedback online. But she said the calendar's purpose was to raise money and was done in good fun.

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For sale

Sixteen tattooed librarians posed for the 2013-14 calendar.

The librarians are from libraries from across the state including Andover, Chelmsford, Newton, Scituate, Springfield and Wellesley.

Calendars cost $21 and can be ordered online at www.mla.memberlodge.org/2013calendar.

Slow growth for library jobs

As technology begins to replace the printed word, are librarians going the way of the typewriter?

- While electronic books and the Internet have replaced paperbacks and the reference section, there is still growth in the librarian sector, according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics.
- Employment of librarians is expected to grow 7 percent nationwide from 2010 to 2020, which is slower than the average for all occupations, per government data.
- Despite slow job growth, there's still hope for aspiring librarians. Prospects should improve as older library workers retire and population growth generates openings.

Inspiration from Texas

Colvin said she got the idea for the calendar from a similar projects in Texas.

Librarians from the Texas Library Association posed for "The Tattooed Ladies of the TLA" calendar in 2009.

The calendar helped raise money for libraries damaged by hurricanes Katrina and Rita.

Quoted

"We're a diverse and dynamic group of individuals and not at all the stereotyped image people have of librarians."

SHARON COLVIN, TEEN LIBRARIAN

Troopers sent to Jersey recall Sandy stories

COURTESY TROOPER ANDREW FOX

▶ Trooper Andrew Fox helps a New Jersey homeowner hang a flag on what's left of his house after Sandy hit.

After being recognized for lending a hand to victims of Hurricane Sandy in New Jersey this month, state police Lt. Michael Habel recalled the nine days he spent on the coast of the Garden State — memories that were covered in sand.

"There were two older women who shared a house and basically were asking us to try to find something, anything, in the sand," said Habel. "It was sad. They wanted any memento that would help them remember their house."

Habel was one of 25 state troopers to receive commendations yesterday at state police headquarters in Framingham.

"We were basically trying to keep the peace," Habel said. "The whole area had been evacuated, so we wanted a high visibility to ensure there was no looting."

Trooper Andrew Fox said he witnessed firsthand how desperate people were to salvage what little they could find from their ravaged homes.

"One man came to see his house, his whole cellar was filled with sand, and he had a little plastic shovel that he was using to try to dig out a safe that had all his valuables in it. It was a sad picture."

Sgt. George Hamilton, who was stationed in Ortley Beach, said he couldn't be more proud of his fellow officers.

"Without being asked, without being told to, they just jumped right in to help people," said Hamilton.

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Poststorm surge

- "I watched an elderly couple get off of a bus and walk down the street to where their house was. And they just looked at the house, slumped their shoulders and turned back around. There was nothing left for them."
  SGT. GEORGE HAMILTON
- "People hadn't seen their houses since the hurricane. There were tears. It was nice to be there to comfort people. It was heartbreaking to see people who have lost everything that they've ever had in their lives just washed away."
  TROOPER ANDREW FOX

In the news

Test weight-loss program launches in Hub today

This afternoon, local comedian Lenny Clarke will help kick off Mayor Thomas Menino's latest program to help slim down Boston residents.

The city's Boston Moves for Health initiative is teaming up with three of the city's community health centers and Weight Watchers to offer 1,000 discounted Weight Watchers memberships for eligible Boston residents.

The formerly overweight Clarke, who is known for his role as Uncle Teddy in the series "Rescue Me," dropped a significant amount of weight with the help of Weight Watchers. He now advocates on behalf of the diet company.

Members of the Boston Public Health Commission will join Clarke at today's event.

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In the news

Drug suspect nabbed again after being set free after lab debacle

A suspected drug dealer who was released from prison two months ago due to the state drug lab crisis was once again arrested, only this time, he is accused of stealing wrist watches from a department store.

Luis Quiles, 41, of Roxbury, was arrested by Transit Police Sunday at the Chinatown station where officers said he and another man, Jose Correano, 30, of Boston, were trying to conceal 13 watches that were allegedly stolen from the Macy's department store in Downtown Crossing.

Both men were charged with receiving stolen property.

Quiles was expected to plead guilty to drug distribution charges on Sept. 6, but Suffolk prosecutors requested a continuance in light of then-recent revelations that a rogue chemist who is accused of mishandling evidence tested those drugs.

METRO/MR

Transportation fixes are focus of report due today

Community groups, labor unions and civic leaders are expected to head to Beacon Hill today to meet with state legislators and to advocate for their ideas on how to better fund and improve the debt-ridden public transportation system across Massachusetts.

"Rider groups from across the state are starting to come together around these [transportation] issues, and transit workers are also getting behind it because they see that the system is way under-funded, and that our transportation is not working," said Lee Matsueda, a spokesman for the T Riders Union.

"We want [Gov. Deval Patrick] and the legislature to hear us loud and clear," he said.

The centerpiece of the gathering will be a report released by Public Transit-Public Good, a campaign of the Green Justice Coalition, that will focus on transit funding and reform solutions that the advocates believe will grow the state's economy, cut carbon emissions, ensure accessibility, and increase racial, economic, and regional equity across the state.

"Public transit is a lifeline for our communities. People who cannot drive depend on transit to get the to work, doctors' appointments, shopping, and social engagements," said Richard Rogers, chair of Community Labor United.

Suggested solutions

The coalition is proposing some solutions to improve public transportation:

- Getting community members involved in the process of making transit decisions
- Addressing the funding dilemma with "new, dedicated funding"
- Creating a more equitable fare structure

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Celtics. Volunteer

▶ Celtics guard Avery Bradley made and served lunch to homeless women and children at Rosie's Place in Boston.

ERIN BALDASSARI/METRO

Celtics team up to fight hunger

Injured Boston Celtic Avery Bradley spent some time at Rosie's Place in Roxbury yesterday to serve some meals to homeless women. The event, in partnership with Old Mutual Asset Management, kicked off a week-long volunteer effort by the company and Celtics employees to serve meals daily at Rosie's Place. Both groups are also holding food drives this week. METRO

Thanks to you for making Metro the fastest-growing newspaper in Boston

The readership of Metro Boston soared by an impressive 10 percent in the last year, while its main daily newspaper rivals lost readers, according to recent research.

The survey, by the industry market research company Scarborough Research, showed that Metro Boston reached more than 260,000 adults 18 and older in Boston each weekday.

Meanwhile, the readership of the main daily newspapers in the city both declined year-on-year, the research suggests.

The figures show that Metro reaches more people living or working in Boston proper than the Globe or the Herald, and that Metro reaches more adults in the 18-to-44 age bracket in the Greater Boston area than the Globe or the Herald.

More than half of Metro Boston's readers — 57 percent — are women, while the median age of all readers is just 35 — an age bracket that is highly attractive to advertisers.

10%
The increase in the number of Metro Boston readers in the last year

The research provides compelling proof that Metro's business model is effective for advertisers, said Yggers Mortensen, CEO and publisher.

"I'm thrilled by these figures, which show just how effective our newspaper is for readers and advertisers, and which are testimony to the effectiveness of our editorial and distribution. We want to give special thanks to our advertising partners and look forward to [continuing] with this success," he said. METRO

▶ Metro readership grew by 10 percent in a year.

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Fun facts about Metro's readers

- More than 23,000 of you had a baby in the last year.
- Sam Adams is easily your favorite brew.
- That said, you were also partial to a bottle of Corona.
- Your favorite bank is the Bank of America, and more than 41,000 of you plan to buy a car in the next year.
- 25% belong to a health club.
- 1 in 5 of you went to Europe in the past 3 years.
- Metro readers are 44% more likely to change wireless / cellphone carriers in the past 12 months than the average.
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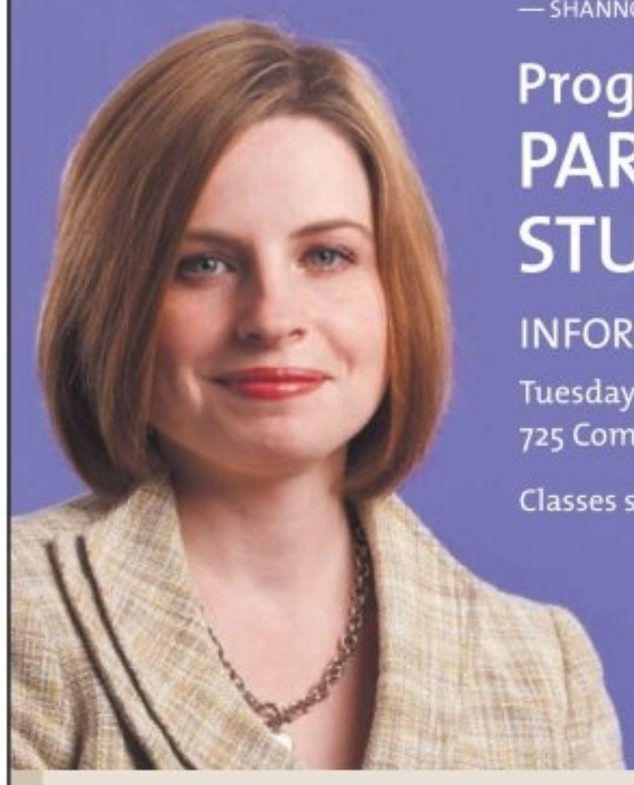

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Tax hike could cost $200B in spending

A White House report says that if Congress allows taxes to go up on middle-class families, consumers will spend $200 billion less in 2013.

The report by the White House's National Economic Council and Council of Economic Advisers was the latest salvo by President Barack Obama to encourage lawmakers to extend tax cuts for families making less than $250,000 a year and fix a tax aimed at making sure wealthy people pay a minimum amount.

The president is negotiating with Republicans in Congress over the "fiscal cliff" — a combination of tax increases and spending cuts that would go into effect next year if the two sides do not reach a deal to stop it.

While the White House and Republican leaders wrangle over raising taxes on the wealthy, Obama would like Congress to pass measures now to lock in lower tax rates for the middle class. **REUTERS**

FBI learns to tweet

The future is here — and it's watching

The FBI sees social media as a potential breeding ground for securities fraud, and has agents scouring Twitter and Facebook for tips, according to two top agents overseeing a long-running investigation into insider trading in the $2 trillion hedge fund industry.

April Brooks, a special agent in charge of the New York field office of the FBI, and David Chaves, a supervisory agent, said it is hard to predict the next wave of securities fraud, but they add that it will have a lot to do with advances in technology and social media. Brooks and Chaves oversee what the FBI calls "Operation Perfect Hedge," which has led to more than 60 convictions. **REUTERS**

No job security

Head of SEC stepping down

The head of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, Mary Schapiro, will step down in December after a tumultuous four years in which she tried to rehabilitate the agency's battered reputation.

In a statement, Schapiro said she would leave the agency Dec. 14. SEC Commissioner Elisse Walter will serve as chairman-designate on a temporary basis. President Barack Obama plans to nominate a replacement soon. **REUTERS**

Honey, I'm home

Ironing revealed wife's past as a man

A Belgian husband is trying to evict his wife of 19 years after he found she used to be a man.

The man, named only as Jan, discovered the truth when a cousin of his wife revealed the secret.

Jan, 64, said he now understood why his wife "was no good at ironing."

The pair originally married when the wife came to his hometown of Antwerp to act as an au pair to his children from his first two marriages. Local judges have refused so far to let Jan evict his wife from the family home. **METRO**

19 The number of years Jan was married to his Indonesian wife, who was born male

Mexican violence

Assassins finally kill female mayor, 36

The young woman mayor of a drugs-ridden Mexican town pleaded with assassins to spare her daughter's life.

Maria Santos Gorrostieta, 36, had twice survived assassination attempts before she was found murdered last week.

She was taken as she drove her young daughter to school, according to local reports.

El Universal newspaper quoted witnesses as saying the mayor pleaded with her killers to spare her daughter's life, before the mayor was dragged into a car and driven away. Her body was found later. **METRO**

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BY STEVE MUELLER
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Metro's **Dorothy Robinson** shares her take on the world of gossip @dorothyatmetro dorothy.robinson@metro.us

Lohan wants more small-screen action

If you didn't catch the masterpiece that was Sunday night's "Liz & Dick" on Lifetime, you missed out on the pop culture phenomenon of the month. Critics had a mighty fine time lambasting what was to be **Lindsay Lohan**'s return to acting prominence. Instead, her performance seemed like it was best suited for community theater, if community theater were held in a prison.

But Lohan will not let a little thing like public ridicule get her down — RadarOnline.com is reporting that now that she's gotten a taste of TV, she wants her own sitcom.

"Lindsay has asked her manager and agent to look into getting her her own television sitcom," a source tells the website. "Lindsay feels that the small screen would be a great way for her to revitalize her acting career and that a comedy would be the best bet. Lindsay feels most comfortable doing comedy, and it was **Charlie Sheen** that told her she should do it."

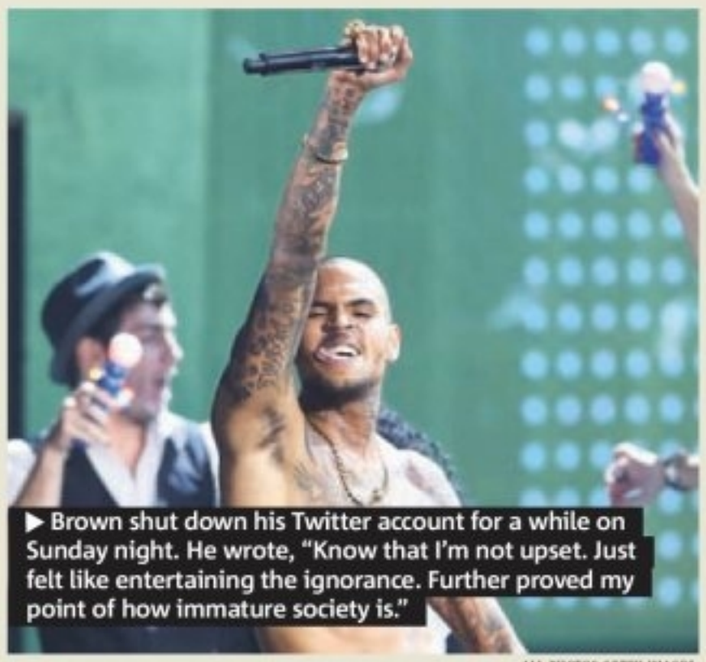
Sadly, the numbers aren't backing up her small screen dreams. Lifetime said "Liz & Dick" averaged 3.5 million viewers, making it the fourth most-watched original movie premiere of the year — tragically, Lohan couldn't beat "Steel Magnolias," "Drew Peterson: Untouchable" and "Abducted: The Carlina White Story," which is about the woman who solved her own kidnapping 23 years after being abducted by a fake nurse from a New York City hospital.

Don't get any ideas, Lohan. No matter what the boon it might be to your ratings, stick to stealing necklaces, not babies.

Lohan at the premiere of "Liz & Dick"

Brown takes a timeout after Twitter rant

The temper tantrum-prone singer **Chris Brown** took a break from his official Twitter account over the weekend after a lengthy and expletive-filled back-and-forth with comedian and writer **Jenny Johnson**. Toward the end of the row, Johnson made reference to Brown's 2009 arrest for assaulting girlfriend **Rihanna**, writing, "I have zero respect for a person who seems unapologetic for the terrible crime he committed and shows no signs of changing," to which Brown responded, "Just ask Rihanna if she mad" and then seemingly deleted his account. Brown has been spending time with Rihanna in Europe recently, which would lead one to believe that she is not, in fact, mad.



▶ Brown shut down his Twitter account for a while on Sunday night. He wrote, "Know that I'm not upset. Just felt like entertaining the ignorance. Further proved my point of how immature society is."

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The feed ...

▶ **Checking in with some of Hollywood's biggest names to see what they've been up to — in their own words, in 140 characters or fewer.**

Celebrities (and one Michael Lohan) reacted to the mess that was Lifetime's "Liz & Dick."

@AimeeMann
I get the feeling the phrase 'It is what it is' was said a lot in the editing room.

@PattonOswalt
Dear @lindsaylohan: I give you permission to Tweet me to smithereens when I do Lifetime's CHAZ BONO: THE CRUELEST CUT in March.

@kathygriffin
Lindsay/Liz jewelry store scene = awkward.

@jessetyler
The day after "Liz & Dick" I just want to say: She's already down. Lets not kick her.

@MichaelLohan
You proved the critics wrong @LindsayLohan you are one of the best, so gifted, so amazing! Now apply it ALL! God bless you!

Patton Oswalt

Talking points

Prince Charles is waiting patiently

Prince Charles, who recently celebrated his 64th birthday, may be growing tired of being the longest-waiting heir to the throne in British history, as his 86-year-old mother, the queen, shows no sign of stepping down. "Impatient? Me? What a thing to suggest! Yes, of course I am," Charles joked with reporters recently, according to the Telegraph. "I'll run out of time soon. I shall have snuffed it if I'm not careful."

PETA gives an animal-friendly gift to Miley Cyrus

Animal-friendly actress **Miley Cyrus** turned 20 last week, and to celebrate the occasion, animal-rights group PETA got her a pig. Sort of. The group sponsored a pig named Nora in her honor at a Florida farm that provides refuge to neglected or abused animals, the group announced. "PETA knew that sponsoring a rescued pig was the perfect birthday present for a young woman who spends so much time encouraging others to help animals," a PETA spokeswoman says.

▶ Cyrus

Hathaway on who she resembles most

After **Anne Hathaway** chopped off her long brunette locks for the film "Les Miserables," she discovered an unexpected family resemblance. "When I eventually looked in the mirror, I just thought I looked like my gay brother," Hathaway told a preview screening audience in New York, according to The Hollywood Reporter.

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Hair's the thing: Celebrating the best hairstyles of the past week

1: Is that hair or camouflage? **Queen Elizabeth II** met a sniper on Monday in Windsor, England.

2: A pink-haired **Nicki Minaj** attended her Pink Friday fragrance launch party at Macy's Queens Center last Tuesday in New York City.

3: Charlize Theron was snapped holding her son, **Jackson**, in Cape Town, South Africa, on Friday. Her head is shaved for her role in the new film "Mad Max 4: Fury Road."

4: Jenny McCarthy sported a bouffant at the 40th American Music Awards on Nov. 18 in Los Angeles.

5: Kate Winslet, wearing a jaunty fascinator, held her CBE (an award for services to drama). Her CBE was awarded by Queen Elizabeth II on Wednesday in London.

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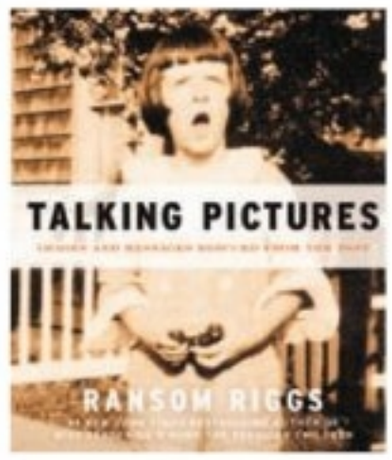
Pictures that tell a story

The old, forgotten snapshots in 'Talking Pictures: Images and Messages Rescued from the Past' give voice to those long gone



Ransom Riggs has always enjoyed collecting vintage photographs. This curious habit shaped his 2011 novel "Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children," which featured his writing melded with unusual found photographs, a reality — and a No. 1 best-seller.

"I would look around swap meets as I was collecting photos for 'Miss Peregrine's' which were mainly photos of odd-looking children from a long time ago," Riggs remembers. "But I also kept finding photos with writing on them."

Riggs says that a lot of the photos he stumbled upon just featured various dates or names. "Many were a big yawn fest," he recalls. "But every now and again, I'd find something so funny or confessional or personal that I'd stand back a little and feel like I'd been allowed a unique window into this otherwise lost world."

Those bewitching photos were the ones which made it into his new book, "'Talking Pictures: Images and Messages Rescued from the Past."

Riggs notes that it's your imagination that creates the book's narrative. "You start to imagine their story, what led to the creation of the photo. It's your imagination that is filling in the gaps of who these people were."

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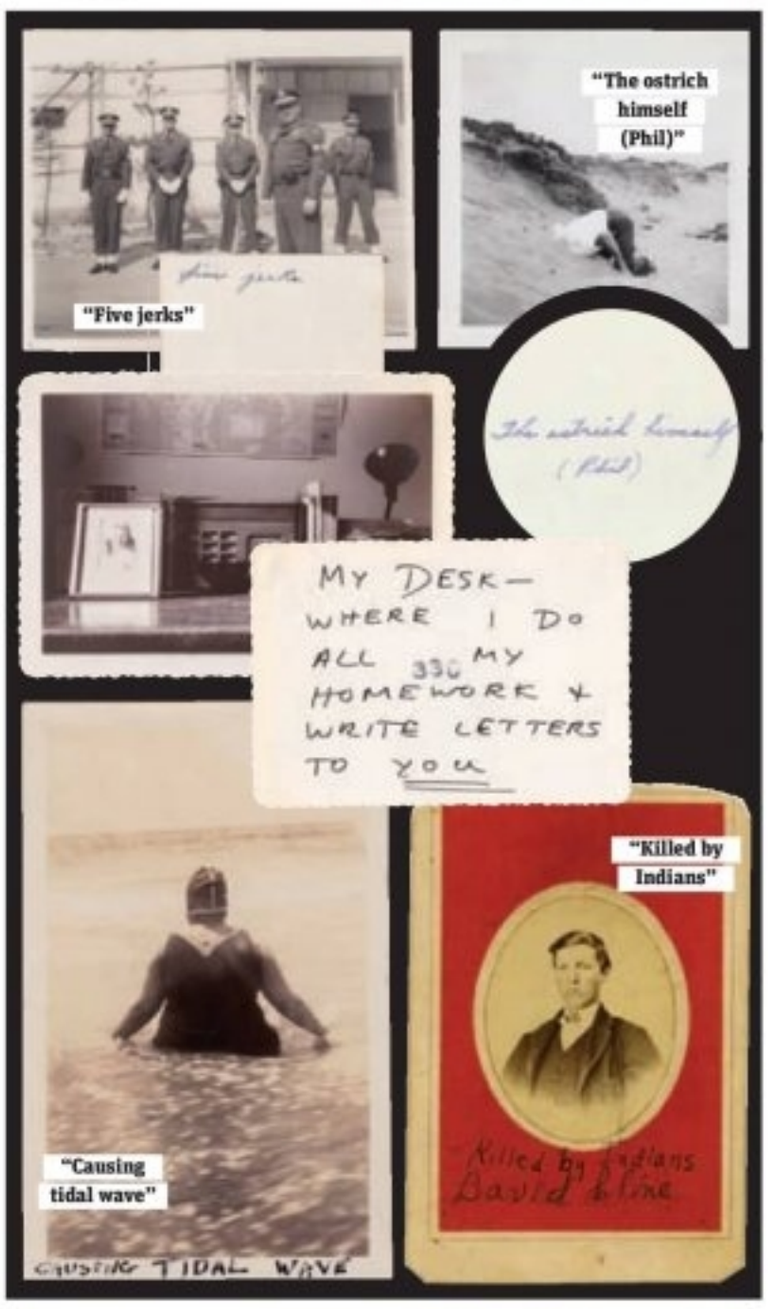
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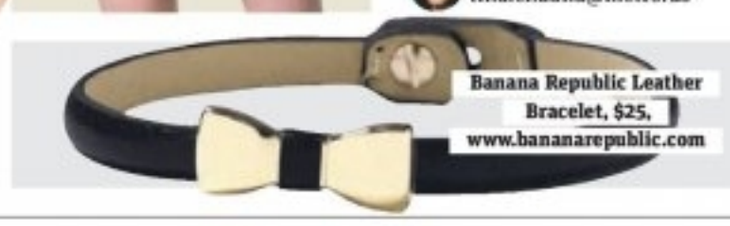
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TV watch list

'Dancing with the Stars: All-Stars'

REALITY. The first all-gals finale also crowns the show's first all-star champ. Rest assured, these series landmarks don't diminish from the cheese factor when one lady waltzes away with the disco ball trophy tonight. **Season finale, 9 p.m., ABC**

'Parenthood'

DRAMA. Sarah and Mark disagree about parenting and relationship issues, which is good news for guest star Ray Romano's cranky photographer waiting in the wings. **10 p.m., NBC**

'Rizzoli & Isles'

DRAMA. "Rizzoli & Isles" returns from break, but there's no easing back into work for this pair when the ladies investigate the contamination source of a poisoning death. **Midseason premiere, 9 p.m., TNT**

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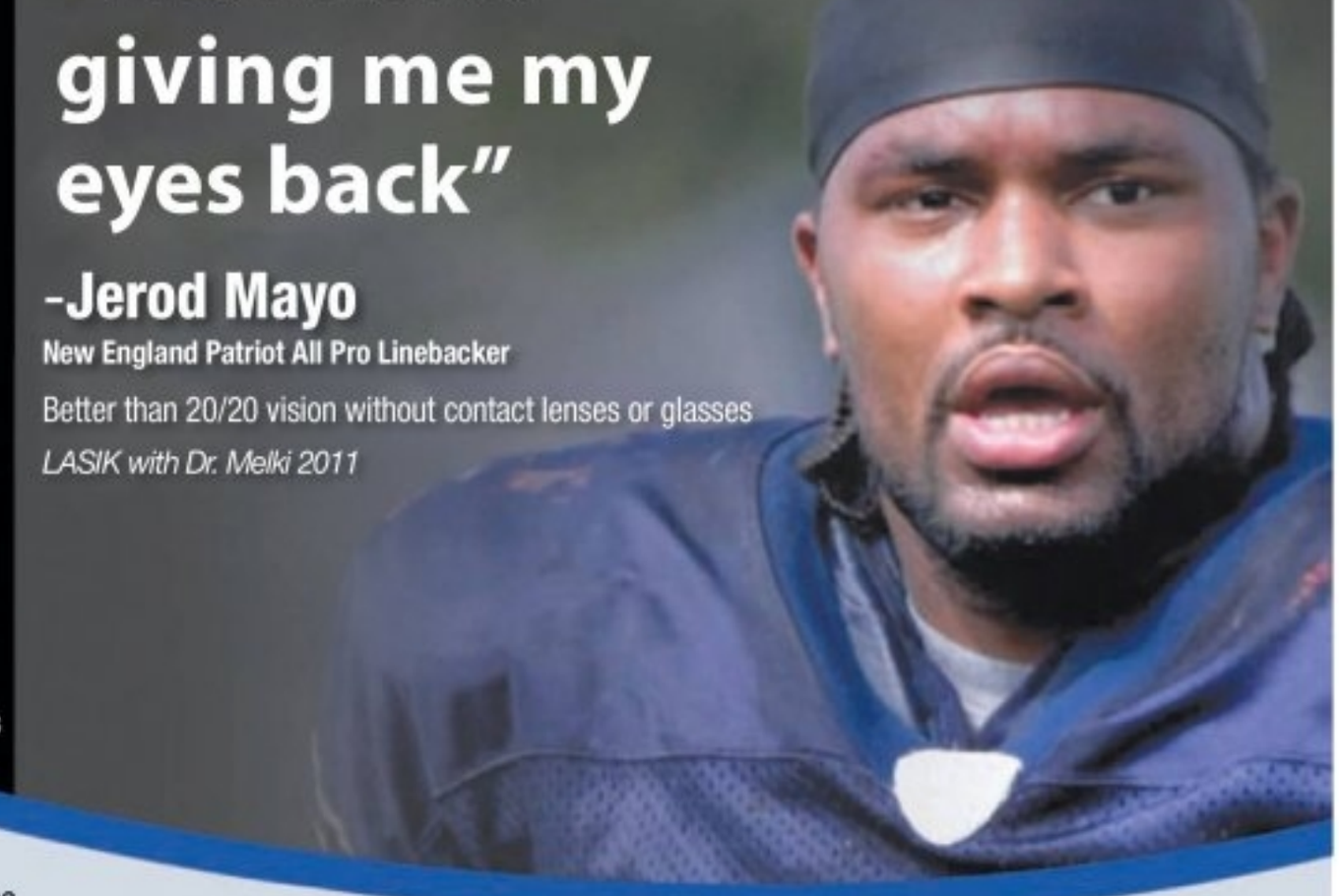

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An appointment with the devil's doctor

'Screwtape' examines human behavior and morality through the eyes of a demon psychiatrist 'Some of the laughs are uncomfortable,' says actor

Somewhere deep in hell there's a savvy psychiatrist who knows exactly how to lure you to the underworld.

"He really understands human nature. He knows people's weaknesses, knows where to pounce," says Max McLean. "Screwtape is the predator, and he has his eye set on every man on Earth."

McLean plays the lead in "The Screwtape Letters," a play adapted from the C. S. Lewis satirical novel of the same name. The story centers on Screwtape, Satan's senior demon who advises his nephew how to win over an unsuspecting human.

"He says, 'The safest road to hell is the gradual one,'" quotes McLean from the script. "Screwtape just wants to encourage the path that we're already on, our go-with-the-flow/don't-resist-anything nature."

Lewis, a deeply religious man, created this morally backward universe in which God is the "enemy" to show how temptation seduces spiritual followers.

"It's probably one of the best examples of reverse psychology in literature," says McLean.

Listening to a sermon in church which might tell you how to act just doesn't have the same effect as hearing it from the devil's perspective, McLean points out. And audiences need not be Christians, or religious at all, to connect with the show.

"Screwtape puts a mirror to our behavior," says McLean. "Some of the laughs are kind of uncomfortable, because you're thinking 'I wish he wouldn't remind me that I do that.'"

GERRY GOODSTEIN

▶ McLean could drag you to hell if you're not careful.

If you go

'The Screwtape Letters'
Friday, 8 p.m.
Saturday, 4 p.m. and 8 p.m.
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Reason to believe

C. S. Lewis had a long spiritual journey before writing "The Screwtape Letters": He dabbled in atheism, paganism and mysticism before settling into Christianity.

"The road he went on contributed so much to the irony and cynicism of this story," says McLean. "He really understood an audience that had trouble believing."

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Review

A great 'Betrayal'

On the surface, the Huntington Theatre Company's "Betrayal" may seem like a wisp of a play with three characters, pithy dialogue and a 75-minute run time. But if you know anything about this Harold Pinter classic, you'll appreciate how perfect this production actually is.

What's not said is almost as important as what is in this simple yet emotionally convoluted treatise on relationships.

While marital strife and long-term infidelity are tales as old as time, Pinter begins this story long after the affair has ended — revisiting times when the relationship flourished. This plot device provides insight to the characters' lies to one another and, more importantly, to themselves. Distant, seemingly disparate memories reveal the truth about their empty yearning.

With just a hint of sad resignation, Mark Dodd's character sizes up the listless state of his marriage and life by saying, "About the seven years of afternoons, I didn't know anything about that."

His wife — superbly played by Gretchen Egolf — has a gut-wrenching moment when her lover — an equally impressive Alan Cox — proclaims their love shack "couldn't be a home."

Despite incredible attention to every subtle detail, director Maria Aitken makes it look effortless for this talented ensemble to deliver Pinter the way it should be. NICK DUSSAULT

If you go

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Huntington Theatre
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▶ From left, the characters played by Alan Cox, Mark H. Dold and Gretchen Egolf find themselves in a love triangle in "Betrayal".

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How to introduce the 'woofs' to the 'waahs'

Dog behavior consultant Jennifer Shryock on how to avoid sibling rivalry when you introduce kids and canines ◗ It's important to have reasonable expectations ◗ Pregnant? ◗ Time to reinforce basic training

If you're expecting

Get to know your dog better during your pregnancy and use that time to reinforce basic training.

Study your dog's body language and learn to identify triggers that stress or upset your dog, so you know how to protect your pet from these situations.

The best way to cultivate a good relationship with your dog and your new baby is to make sure your dog observes and participates in positive, daily routines with you and your baby. Never force your dog to check out the baby. Instead, invite him or her to sit next to you while you hold the new addition.

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Whether you are bringing your new baby home to meet your dog for the first time, or thinking about adopting that dog your kids have been asking for, there are some basic ways to safely introduce kids and canines. We spoke with Jennifer Shryock, a certified dog behavior consultant and founder of Family Paws Parent Education, about how to make a smooth transition.

▶ Shryock always recommends 100 percent supervision regardless of the children's ages.

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Never force interaction between a dog and a child.
Pay attention to your dog's body language to determine if the dog is engaging with the situation or tolerating it. Shryock recommends allowing your child to pet the dog a couple times and then stop. Wait to see if the dog is interested in continuing the interaction.

Have reasonable expectations for your dog.
Parents often think a dog should put up with a baby crawling near the animal at eye level and reaching and grabbing. "You can't let [a] toddler freely explore the dog," Shryock says. A new dog will have a tolerance limit for your kids, and it's important to recognize that limit and provide the dog with a quiet area to retreat to when the interaction might become too much.

Instruct your kids not to crowd the dog or carry it around.
Instead, create safe, supervised activities for your toddler and your dog. This might be dropping a treat in the dog's crate or filling up the food and water bowls together. No matter what you do, Shryock always recommends total supervision.

Rule of thumb (or dewclaw)

If it doesn't feel right or it looks too good to be true, it probably is. Any behavioral issue is going to take time; there are no quick fixes. And if a child shouldn't be doing something to correct an animal's behavior, a parent shouldn't be doing it. For this reason, physical force with your dog in front of your kids is not recommended. Positive reinforcement is key.

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The reason for the season isn't great online deals

The turkey was still warm and we are running off to the stores to buy more stuff. Many people were acting like sharks to a bucket of chum. Crazy!

Remember, Christmas is not about a new Xbox or iPad. It's about the celebration of the birth of our Lord.

I ask my fellow Christians to please pause during this beautiful holiday season. Take time to reflect and remember our neighbors and friends. A smile, a few cookies, a cake, something simple from the heart means a lot to people. We should be kind and considerate to each other all year, not just during the Christmas season.

JOHN MCLAUGHLIN, VIA E-MAIL

Why bother having another opinion? Assimilate!

I don't think what the Republican Party has to do to win is rocket science. They just have to become more like Democrats. Stop offering "GOODIES" to the rich and offer some goodies to the nonrich. Know why? There are more nonrich than rich and that means more votes. Deep, ain't it? Stop pandering to a declining white electorate and start realizing that America is multiethnic, and offer some goodies to women and minorities. If the GOP is too dumb to figure this out, then they are not smart enough to be president. The redneck, Confederate way of thinking that we still see in the South and in the Prairie states is fading, hopefully. The GOP has to move more to the center, probably become "pro-choice" and just basically become more like Democrats.

LARRY BLONG, VIA E-MAIL

Silver bells and silver linings

I am reminded of a Newhart episode where handyman George Utley told Dick Loudon about his neighbors' front porch being destroyed by a Nor'easter, describing it as the luckiest day in their lives. "How is that lucky, George?" He explained, "They were all sitting on the back porch at the time!" God bless my brothers and sisters suffering or in extreme discomfort at this time, but please keep in mind that only without your health do you have nothing. Happy holidays.

DAVID DIBELLO, VIA E-MAIL

Amid strife, a story of brotherhood

Despite all the bad news coming out of Middle East, there is one piece of good news: All of the Ethiopian Jews who wished to be in Israel have been rescued and brought to Israel. It has taken a long time and sometimes been difficult and dangerous and the good news is that a great job has been completed.

The Israeli pilots, who often flew large jet airliners into a dangerous warzone to land, pick up passengers and then take off from woefully inadequate airfields are great heroes in every sense of the word. What is interesting is that this airlift was the first time in the history of Africa where foreigners came into Africa to bring people out to freedom, safety and security instead of slavery in a distant land.

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Horoscope

♐ Sagittarius **Nov. 23-Dec. 21.** Because you continue to be in a rather promising cycle in terms of personal gain and success, your probabilities for adding to your resources are exceptionally good.

♑ Capricorn **Dec. 22-Jan. 19.** You're likely to do far better tweaking some of your own ideas than employing the schemes of others, which you would have to completely transform to render workable.

♒ Aquarius **Jan. 20-Feb. 19.** If you can, try to stay in control of things — but do so without calling any attention to your actions. You'll function astoundingly well being the power behind the throne.

♓ Pisces **Feb. 20-March 20.** A few friends who haven't been too cooperative or friendly lately could undergo a complete turnaround, unbeknownst to one another.

♈ Aries **March 21-April 19.** This could be a day of some outstanding achievements if you would simply follow the original course you set for yourself. Unfortunately, there's a high possibility that you'll get sidetracked.

♉ Taurus **April 20-May 20.** Someone in the past has given you some extremely valuable information that went right over your head. Today, for the first time, you might finally begin to appreciate its worth.

♊ Gemini **May 21-June 20.** A joint endeavor in which you're involved can be far more successful than you may realize if you're smart enough to follow it through.

♋ Cancer **June 21-July 22.** If you honestly believe your work performance is superior, this is a good day to talk to the powers that be about the possibility of getting some kind of compensation. Be assertive but truthful, and you can't fail.

♌ Leo **July 23-Aug. 22.** You're resourceful and practical, arousing much enthusiasm in your co-workers. It's a winning combination that others can't help but want to follow.

♍ Virgo **Aug. 23-Sept. 22.** Do not underestimate the many qualities that you have to offer. This is an excellent day to take a gamble on your talents and abilities, so don't hesitate.

♎ Libra **Sept. 23-Oct. 23.** It could be more important than usual for both you and your mate to be in accord on a critical issue. When harmony is allowed to prevail, successful results become more likely.

♏ Scorpio **Oct. 24-Nov. 22.** There's a good chance that circumstances could cause you to revise some of your methods and/or procedures. It might take a bit of courage on your part to do so. **BERNICE BEDE OSOL**

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Solution to yesterday's crossword

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Myanmar: Open for business

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Htay Aung, Myanmar's new minister for hotels and tourism, is busy trying to attract new airlines and hotels. "And our employees have to learn to speak English," he says.

Aung's position illustrates Myanmar's remarkable transformation from international pariah to budding Asian tiger. "We've become transparent, we believe in change," he says. And change they have: The country (which is also known as Burma) was ruled by military leaders until early 2011; for decades it was cut off from the rest of the world both politically and economically.

Myanmar's reforms have been handsomely rewarded: Barack Obama just visited the country last week, the first sitting U.S. president to do so. And with tourism a pillar of Southeast Asian economies, Aung plays a key role as Myanmar tries to attract not just political leaders but also the traveling masses.

"Myanmar is one of the world's hidden gems," he says. "The president [Thein Sein] is working to build relationships around the world, and democracy leader Aung San Suu Kyi has traveled around to express her ideas about the future development of the country."

Pagodas, ancient palaces, jungles and beaches rank among Myanmar's prime attractions — as does the fact that, because of its long political isolation, it hasn't been ruined by commerce and rampant development. Last year, 313,127 foreigners visited Myanmar, a 5 percent increase from 2010. That figure dwarfs compared to the more than 19 million visitors who chose neighboring Thailand last year. In a new development, Thais now often cross the border to Burma to buy Chinese counterfeits of Western brands.

"We also have weaknesses," acknowledges Aung. "Our infrastructure, including telecommunications, roads and airports, isn't very good."

But Myanmar has succeeded in bringing several international airlines to Myanmar and is vying for more investments. Aung proudly lists his countries many, notable assets:

"We're the largest country in Southeast Asia. We have historic edifices [and] hospitable people, and our country is safe."

Where to go

- **River Ayeyarwady:** You can travel in a traditional steamer.
- **Beach at the Bay of Bengal:** Myanmar's beaches are pristine and not overcrowded.
- **Yangon:** This is Myanmar's largest city and its commercial and cultural hub.

When to go

- **November through February:** You'll find nice weather and very little rain.

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Metro's NBA power rankings | by Jimmy Toscano

1 GRIZZLIES (9-2)
A loss to a hot Denver team isn't enough to knock this crew from the top spot. Just ask the Lakers. Who knows if this keeps up but everyone in Memphis is flying high with the Grizzlies in charge out West.

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2 SPURS (8-2)
This team was No. 4 last week but after beating the Celtics in the Garden on Thanksgiving Eve, they earn the right to jump. Oh and Tim Duncan was Western Conference Player of the Week.

3 THUNDER (10-4)
Kevin Durant (26.5 ppg) and Russell Westbrook (21.8 ppg) rank in the top 10 in scoring. Yup, they're good at basketball. A loss at the Celtics last Friday is certainly forgivable.

4 HEAT (10-3)
LeBron James found Ray Allen for the game-winner against Cleveland on Saturday. Meanwhile, Cavs fans and Celtics fans share shoulders to cry on.

5 KNICKS (9-3)
The "feel good" story in New York is still "feel good." But giving up 133 points to the Rockets?! They may be slowly coming back down to earth.

6 CLIPPERS (8-5)
After three straight losses on the road the Clippers look to regroup in Los Angeles against the Hornets, T-Wolves and Kings. Yawn.

7 NETS (8-4)
It looks like the Nets have found a "Blueprint" for success. New Jay-Z references welcome. Brooklyn will be tested on the road this week as it visits the Celtics Wednesday and the Heat Saturday.

8 CELTICS (8-6)
There's nobody in the NBA better at passing up wide open layups for assists than Rajon Rondo. But hey, haters gonna hate. Big test Wednesday against Deron Williams.

9 NUGGETS (8-6)
Going 4-0 over the last week is the Denver team we thought existed to start the year. Andre Iguodala has been solid, posting 15.6 ppg.

10 SIXERS (8-6)
So Andrew Bynum hurt himself while bowling. That's like an average-size person getting hurt playing skeeball.

11 HAWKS (8-4)
The Hawks are on a five-game win streak, but does anyone in Atlanta care? Tickets for last night's home game against the Bobcats were going for the tidy sum of $0.45. That's cents.

12 LAKERS (7-7)
No movement here for Kobe and company. Two good wins over the Nets and Mavs but how on earth can you explain that 16-point loss to the Sacramento Kings? You can't.

13 MAVERICKS (7-7)
Absolutely no rhyme or reason to the Mavs season thus far ... unless you can rhyme something with "They really miss Dirk Nowitzki."

14 WARRIORS (8-6)
Stephen Curry leads the Warriors in scoring with 18.4 ppg. What's crazier: 14 games and no sprained ankles.

15 BUCKS (6-5)
A three-game losing streak means only one thing: It's Buck-hunting season. Boom! This team tumbles from No. 8 to No. 15 this week. On Saturday, they see the Celtics for the third time in a month.

In the news

Back to Texas?
Free agent catcher Mike Napoli, who met with the Red Sox over the weekend, will talk to the Texas Rangers about returning on Wednesday, according to an ESPN report.

Napoli tore it up for the Rangers in 2011, batting .320 with 30 home runs.

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Pats on PEDs

A handful of Patriots players, from both the past and present, have been linked to the use of performance enhancing drugs since 2006:

- **Jermaine Cunningham** LB suspended four games
- **Brandon Bolden** RB currently serving suspension
- **Aqib Talib** CB traded to Pats on Nov. 1, 2012.
- **Brandon Spikes** (2010)
- **Rodney Harrison** (2007)

Cunningham the latest Patriot to be busted

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▶ Jermaine Cunningham has been suspended four games by the NFL.

If it was Tom Brady and not Jermaine Cunningham then the topic might get a little more play on the streets today.

But it was indeed the Patriots' 24-year-old outside linebacker, and not its superstar quarterback, getting popped with a four-game suspension Monday for performance-enhancing drugs.

Cunningham is the latest NFL player to get suspended for PEDs and it has become apparent that the league is cracking down on use amongst players. In the 2012 calendar year, 13 NFL players have been suspended by the league for violating the league's substance policy, more than any other previous year.

The Patriots currently have three of those 13 players on their roster, with running back Brandon Bolden currently serving a four-game suspension and cornerback Aqib Talib having been docked four games during his time with the Tampa Bay Buccaneers. Talib was acquired by the Patriots in a trade on Nov. 1.

Pats linebacker Brandon Spikes was suspended four games in 2010 for violating the league's policy on PEDs. The most high-profile Patriots player to have been suspended for PEDs was Rodney Harrison in 2007. Harrison admitted to obtaining human growth hormone that year but said he had "never taken steroids."

When an NFL player is suspended for PED use, the league does not release information on the specific compound that that player tested positive for. The suspended player is typically the one who reveals the source. For instance, Talib blamed his positive test on the prescription drug Adderall in October.

Several of the NFL's suspended players have blamed the drug Adderall on their positive suspension, allowing many to make the leap that the drug is a masking agent for other PEDs. **MATT BURKE**

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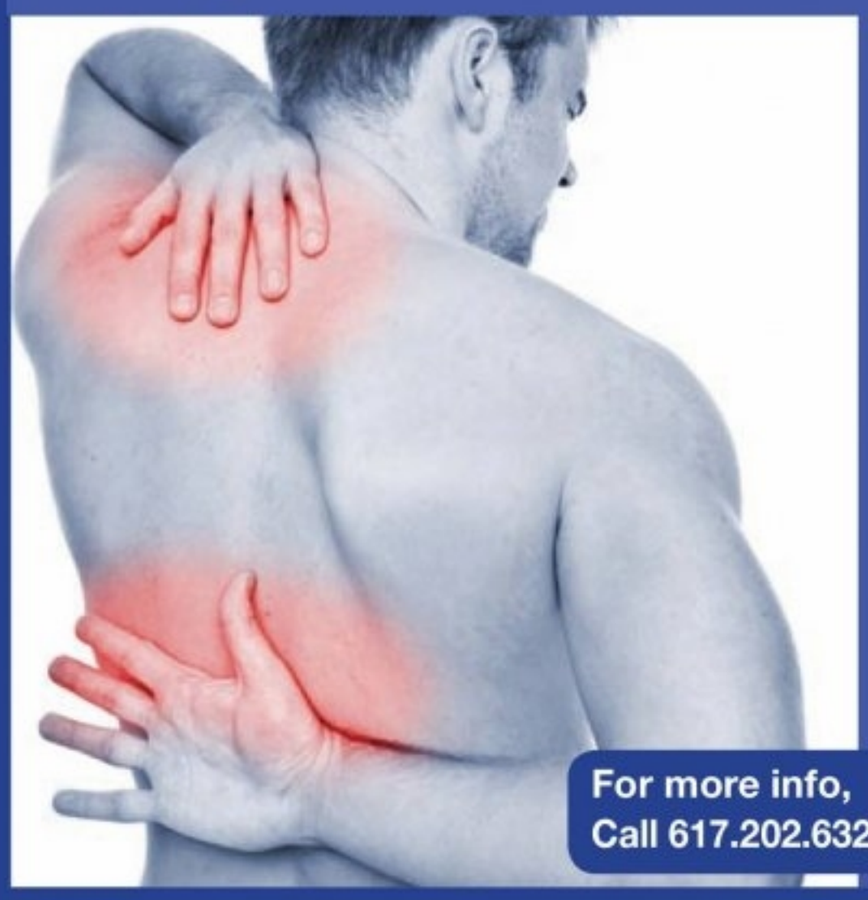

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In the news

Boston College on the clock for head coach

Once new BC athletic director Brad Bates took over Oct. 9 (a few days after the painful Army loss), you knew coach Frank Spaziani was done.

It is remarkable that a man who was renowned for his defensive prowess (he spent 10 years as BC's defensive coordinator) could be in charge of a team that was so woefully inept on both sides of the ball. The Eagles were 0-6 on the road this season and the only reason they didn't join Southern Mississippi as the only winless team in FBS is because they beat Maine (FCS) and Maryland — which played its fourth quarterback at the time due to injuries.

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▶ Darrell Hazell

Finding a new football coach is the biggest decision that Bates will make in the next few years. You can't expect someone to come in and immediately return BC to prominence, but on the other hand, you couldn't make the team or program become more irrelevant locally or nationally.

Big-time college athletics, namely basketball and football, are all about two things: 1. Recruiting, 2. Bringing in good assistant coaches.

It will never be easy to build BC into a contender because of its academic requirements, but one could say the same thing about its main rival in Notre Dame. How have the Fighting Irish been this season?

One route back to success would be be to look at who is at the top in college football this season and see who you can poach. That could mean looking at Notre Dame defensive coordinator Bob Diaco, Alabama defensive coordinator Kirby Smart or Oregon offensive coordinator Mark Helfrich. Successful candidates at smaller schools include Northern Illinois' Dave Doeren (11-1 in 2012) and Kent State's Darrell Hazell (11-1 in 2012). RICH SLATE

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